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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Jyh-Shin PAN, et al.

Serial No.: 09/800,896

Filed: March 8, 2001

For: LINK WRITING METHOD FOR A
RECORDABLE COMPACT DISK AND
DRIVER FOR USING THE METHOD

Art Unit: 2652

Examiner: Michael V. Battaglia

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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 10, 2004, please amend the
above-referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on
page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 15 of this paper.

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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TOTAL CLAIMS FEE	21	-	36 **	0	LG=\$18 SM=\$9	\$ 0
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- ☐ The amount of \$ to cover the extension fee is enclosed. **A copy of this sheet is enclosed.**
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies of fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1314. **A copy of this sheet is enclosed.**
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- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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